## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Previously Presented) A method for creating an embedded search link document, comprising:

accessing a genesis document;

performing a test search of a document source to identify test search results that satisfy a plurality of search parameters;

in response to performing the test search, retrieving the test search results from the document source,

presenting the test search results to a user for a determination as to whether the test search results are desirable; and

in response to the determination that the test search results are desirable, embedding a search link corresponding to the search parameters into the genesis document to create the embedded search link document, the search link operative, when activated, to initiate a search of the document source for search results that match the search parameters and to retrieve the search results.

2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein a test search query based on the search parameters is formed for performing the test search of the document source, further comprising:

compressing and storing the test search query as a portion of the genesis document

so that activating the search link causes the test search query to be accessed and used for performing the search of the document source.

3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the embedded search link document comprises an interactive lesson plan.

- 4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the genesis document comprises a curriculum standards document.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the document source comprises a computer network.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the document source comprises a site catalog.
- 7. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
  receiving filtered test search results;
  designating at least one of the filtered test search results as a preferred link; and
  compressing and storing as a portion of the genesis document a document
  identifier corresponding to the preferred link.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the embedded search link document is stored on an Internet-accessible computer.
- 9. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8, wherein accessing the genesis document comprises retrieving the genesis document from a remote location.
  - 10. (Canceled)
- 11. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the filtered test search results are stored as a site catalog, and

wherein the search link is operative, when activated, to initiate a search of the site catalog for the search results matching the search parameters.

12. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising: creating a search catalog from the test search results;



filtering the search catalog to form a site catalog comprising those test search results that are most relevant to a particular context of the search parameters;

after creation of the embedded search link document, receiving a command for activating the search link; and

in response to the command, retrieving the search results from the site catalog.

- 13. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the genesis document is HTML-formatted.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the preferred link is placed first within the search results.
  - 15. (Canceled)
- 16. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the search parameters relate to a subject, a topic, a minimum grade level, and a maximum grade level.
  - 17. (Canceled)
- 18. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, wherein the subject comprises a [Gateway to Educational Materials Committee ("GEM")] <u>pre-approved level one entry, the topic comprises a [GEM]pre-approved level two entry, the minimum grade level comprises a first number ranging from 1 to 12 and the maximum grade level comprises a second number ranging from 1 to 12.</u>
  - 19. (Canceled)
  - 20. (Canceled)
- 21. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 7, wherein a Boolean filter is used to determine the filtered test search results.



- 22. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 21, wherein the Boolean filter classifies each of the search results based on the presence of positive words and negative words, positive words indicating that the search result corresponds to a particular context of the search parameter and negative words indicating that the search result does not correspond to the particular context of the search parameter.
  - 23. (Canceled)
  - 24. (Canceled)
  - 25. (Canceled)
  - 26. (Canceled)
- 27. (Previously Presented) A computer readable medium having stored thereon computer executable instructions for performing the method of claim 1.
- 28. (Previously Presented) A computer readable medium having stored thereon computer executable instructions for performing the method of claim 12.
- 29. (Previously Presented) A system for creating an embedded search link document, comprising:

a memory for storing a genesis document;

an input device for inputting a series of search parameters;

- a communications device for communicating with a remote server, the remote server being in communication with a document source;
- a processor in communication with the memory, the input device and the communications device for transmitting a request to the remote server for a test search of the document source based on the search parameters;

wherein the processor is further operable for:



displaying test search results received from the remote server in response to the test search on a display device for a user determination as to whether the test search results are desirable, and

embedding a search link corresponding to the search parameters into the genesis document to create the embedded search link document, the search link operative, when activated, to initiate a search of the document source for search results matching the search parameters and to retrieve the search results.

30. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the request for the test search includes a test search query that is based on the search parameters;

wherein the processor is further operable for compressing and storing as a portion of the genesis document the test search query; and

wherein activation of the search link causes the test search query to be accessed and used for performing the search of the document source.

- 31. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the embedded search link document comprises an interactive lesson plan.
- 32. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the genesis document comprises a curriculum standards document.
- 33. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the document source comprises the internet.
- 34. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the document source comprises a site catalog.
- 35. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the remote server is operable for filtering the test search results through a filtering function; and wherein the presence is further operable for:



receiving the filtered test search results from the remote server via the communications device;

designating at least one of the filtered test search results as a preferred link; and compressing and storing as a portion of the genesis document a document URL corresponding to the preferred link.

- 36. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 35 wherein the remote server is further operable for storing the filtered test search results as a site catalog; and wherein the search link is operative, when activated, to initiate a search of the site catalog for the search results matching the search parameters.
- 37. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 35, wherein the preferred link is placed first within the search results.
- 38. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 35, wherein the filtering function comprises a Boolean filter.
- 39. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 38, wherein the Boolean filter is operable for classifying each of the search results based on the presence of positive words and negative words, positive words indicating that the search result may be relevant to a particular context of the search parameter and negative words indicating that the search result may be irrelevant to the particular context of the search parameter.
- 40. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 29, wherein the search parameters relate to s subject, a topic, a minimum grade level, and a maximum grade level.
- 41. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 40, wherein the subject comprises a [Gateway to Educational Materials Committee ("GEM")] <u>pre-approved level one entry, the topic comprises a [GEM]pre-approved level two entry, the minimum grade level comprises a first number ranging from 1 to 12 and the maximum grade level comprises a second number ranging from 1 to 12.</u>

